

WILL MAKE TOUR  
OF MIDDLE WESTRoosevelt to Speak in One of  
Twin Cities Next Week.

## PHYSICAL STRAIN TOO GREAT

Colonel Decides Not to Make Country  
wide Tour for Several Reasons—Chi-  
cago and St. Louis Are Scheduled to  
Hear Candidate, but the Dates Are  
Not Yet Definitely Decided Upon.Oyster Bay, N. Y., March 18.—The  
first information concerning the plan  
of campaign mapped out by the Roose-  
velt leaders at their conference in  
New York Friday and Saturday was  
given out by Colonel Roosevelt. He  
said he had decided definitely to make  
a number of speeches in various parts  
of the country in the near future.Colonel Roosevelt said at the outset  
that he would not make a country-  
wide speaking tour. He thought such  
a thing inadvisable and, moreover, the  
physical strain would be too great. It  
is his idea to make a number of com-  
paratively short trips so arranged  
that he would be able to speak in  
states where Roosevelt sentiment is  
believed to be strongest.The speech before the Civic Forum  
in New York Wednesday night is first  
on the program. Later this week  
Colonel Roosevelt will talk some-  
where on the East Side in New York  
if a hall can be obtained. Early next  
week he will start on a short tour of  
the Middle West. Three speeches  
have been decided upon to be made at  
Chicago, St. Paul or Minneapolis and  
St. Louis. Other stops may be ar-  
ranged later.In the week beginning March 31  
Colonel Roosevelt will go into New  
England. Speeches are to be made in  
Boston and Concord, N. H., with pos-  
sibly one in Portland, Me., although  
Colonel Roosevelt doubted whether he  
would be able to go to Maine before  
the primaries are held. A trip to Phil-  
adelphia and Newark is to be made  
during the week of April 7.

## Managers Working on Itinerary.

None of the speaking dates has been  
definitely fixed. The Roosevelt cam-  
paign managers are at work upon the  
itinerary, which probably will not be  
completed for several days.Colonel Roosevelt during his talk  
with the newspaper men alluded to  
reports that misleading information in  
regard to the campaign was being dis-  
seminated in news dispatches. He  
said some of his supporters had told  
him that in certain news reports the  
facts regarding the relative strength  
of the Taft and Roosevelt forces had  
been misrepresented.Former Senator Beveridge, he said,  
had told him that the situation in In-  
dianapolis had been misrepresented  
in dispatches saying the primaries  
there had resulted in favor of Presi-  
dent Taft, whereas Mr. Beveridge said  
they were two to one in favor of Col-  
onel Roosevelt. Governor Hadley of  
Missouri told him, Colonel Roosevelt  
continued, that a similar situation had  
arisen on the day of the Republican  
primaries in Kansas City.Replying to a statement attributed  
to Samuel S. Koenig, chairman of the  
New York county Republican commit-  
tee, that Colonel Roosevelt would have  
not more than four or five delegates  
from New York state the colonel said:"I expect that we will get at least  
twenty delegates and if it were not for  
the bad primary system in this state  
we would break even or better."The colonel said that he did not be-  
lieve the Roosevelt forces would have  
control of the Republican national  
committee and that all he wanted from  
the committee was a square deal.

## PINCHOT MAKES STATEMENT

Says Houser Urged La Follette to  
Withdraw.Washington, March 18.—That Wal-  
ter Houser was among the first to ur-  
ge Senator La Follette to retire from the  
presidential race and join with  
other progressives in urging Colonel  
Roosevelt to become a candidate is  
the declaration made by Gifford Pin-  
chot in a statement.The continued publication in North  
Dakota newspapers of interviews with  
Mr. Houser, "which wholly and abso-  
lutely misrepresent Colonel Roose-  
velt's attitude toward Senator La Fol-  
lette, and toward the progressive  
movement," is given as the reason for  
making this new declaration."If Mr. Houser will take the trouble  
to recall the facts," says Mr. Pinchot,  
"he will remember that Colonel Roose-  
velt did not urge Senator La Follette  
to become a candidate for the presi-  
dency."

## WOMAN'S MONOPANE ESCAPE

Miss Moisant's Monoplane Turns Tur-  
tle, but She Is Unhurt.Shreveport, La., March 18.—Miss  
Matilda Moisant, sister of the late  
John B. Moisant, narrowly escaped  
her brother's fate here when in de-  
scending after an exhibition flight  
her monoplane struck the ground at  
too steep an angle, bounding into the  
air and turning turtle.Miss Moisant fell a few feet just as  
the body of the machine dropped. She  
was helped from the wreckage unhurt.  
The guy wires at the top of the ma-  
chine supported the heavy motor. But  
for this Miss Moisant would probably  
have been crushed to death. The  
monoplane was badly damaged.WAGES RISING IN  
TEXTILE MILLSNearly Three Hundred Thousand  
Secure Increase.

\$10,000,000 FOR COMING YEAR

Authoritative Estimates Give Above  
Amount as Being About Total Value  
of Larger Payrolls in Woolen and  
Cotton Industries in New England.  
Losses in Lawrence Strike Amount  
to Over \$3,000,000.Boston, March 18.—Wage increases  
aggregating more than \$10,000,000 will  
go into the pockets of New England  
textile workers during the next twelve  
months, according to authoritative es-  
timates of the result of the present  
upward trend of wages in cotton and  
woolen mills. On the basis of an an-  
nual payroll of \$79,000,000 in the wool-  
en mills the increase there will amount  
to \$5,600,000, while cotton mill oper-  
atives will receive an advance of \$5,  
000,000.Fully 275,000 operatives will share  
in the raises by April 1, if all the mills  
which have not yet joined in the move-  
ment follow the lead of larger con-  
cerns. Announcements already made  
of contemplated advances affect up-  
ward of 200,000 mill workers, while  
other cotton manufacturers have indi-  
cated an intention of equaling the  
wage advance, but have given no defi-  
nite announcement.The New Bedford manufacturers' offer  
of a 5 per cent increase will be ac-  
ted on early this week by the textile  
council, which recently presented a  
demand for a raise of 10 per cent. Al-  
though there is a division of opinion  
among the operatives many are said to  
favor accepting the manufacturers' offer  
and reviving their demand for  
5 per cent more when business im-  
proves.

## Deadlock at Fall River.

The textile council, representing five  
unions of Fall River operatives, has  
voted to reject the offer of an advance  
of 5 per cent and demand 15 per cent.  
Negotiations between the labor repre-  
sentatives and mill agents will be con-  
tinued this week.Close observers of the situation be-  
lieve a compromise will be arranged.  
On the result in Fall River will de-  
pend in part, probably, the final at-  
titude of the New Bedford unions  
toward acceptance or rejection of the  
5 per cent offer there left.Although a few of the big Lawrence  
mills are still nominally under the  
ban of the strike indications point to  
a general return to work in all the  
plants. A desire to get back to work  
after ten weeks of idleness and fears  
that some one else may obtain their  
places have made most of the strik-  
ers eager to return.Statisticians figure the injury by  
the Lawrence strike to manufacturers  
at \$1,500,000 on business in hand and  
advance business lost, a forfeit by the  
strikers of about an equal amount in  
wages and a cost to the state and city  
of \$300,000 for militiamen and extra  
police.

## BOY BURIED BY SNOWBLOW

Life Crushed Out While at Play Along  
Tracks.Smith Center, Kan., March 18.—To  
be buried alive by the spray from a  
snowblow was the fate of Harry  
Agnew, a twelve-year-old boy of this  
city. Harry was playing in the wake  
of a big rotary snowblow on the Chi-  
cago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad.  
With other boys he was allowing the  
clouds of snow to fall over him, run-  
ning from under when the snow be-  
came too heavy.He was not missed until night.  
Searchers dug his body from under  
the mass of snow. His thigh was  
broken and it is believed the weight  
of snow crushed out life almost in-  
stantly.

## NEWS IN SUNDAY'S PAPERS

Judge Rosalsky of New York is  
saved from death by dirt in mechan-  
ism of infernal machine.Northwestern senators and repre-  
sentatives angry over questions asked  
in the White Earth inquiry.In an effort to check exodus to Can-  
ada house committee reports favorably  
Borah bill to amend homestead laws.Old battleship Maine plunged to her  
last resting place in the Gulf of Mex-  
ico amid imposing ceremonies. Gun  
boom farewell.

## PREDICT WILSON VICTORY

Estimate at His Headquarters Claims  
800 Delegates.Washington, March 18.—The first  
definite estimate of the strength of  
Governor Woodrow Wilson in the na-  
tional Democratic convention given  
out by the Wilson headquarters in  
Washington claims 800 delegates for  
the New Jersey executive on the first  
ballot at Baltimore. The national  
convention will contain 1,094 dele-  
gates and under the two-thirds rule  
736 will be necessary for a nomination.

## ADMIRAL MELVILLE.

Retired Naval Officer and  
Arctic Authority Is Dead.

## ADMIRAL MELVILLE IS DEAD

Was Head of Loyal Legion and Noted  
Arctic Authority.Philadelphia, March 18.—Rear Ad-  
miral George Wallace Melville, U. S.  
N., retired, died at his home here from  
paralysis. He was national command-  
er of the Loyal Legion at the time of  
his death and was a noted authority  
on Arctic exploration, as well as en-  
gineering and naval affairs.Rear Admiral Melville, who was  
placed on the retired list Jan. 10,  
1903, was seventy-two years old. For  
sixteen years he was chief of the bu-  
reau of steam engineering in the navy  
department. He was appointed an as-  
sistant engineer in the navy in 1861  
and was a member of both the Jean-  
ette and the Greely relief expeditions  
to the Arctic circle.DECLARES HE NEVER  
DESERTED ANY ONERoosevelt Says He Is Only Pro-  
gressive Who Can Win.Grand Forks, N. D., March 18.—  
Theodore Roosevelt, in a telegram to  
John Aasheim of Fargo, responding to  
an inquiry made by him, declares posi-  
tively that he did not desert "any can-  
didate for president or any one else  
and that every candidate knew this,"  
that he is the only progressive candi-  
date who can be nominated and that  
he has not identified himself in any  
manner with the stalwarts of North  
Dakota in the present fight. In his  
telegram Colonel Roosevelt says:"I am making a straight progressive  
platform. I am the only progressive  
whom there is any chance of nominat-  
ing and I am the only man whom the  
reactionaries and beneficiaries of pri-  
vilege really dread; and they welcome  
and make use of my allies in the ef-  
fort to defeat me, because in this con-  
test I stand for the right of the people  
to rule and for social and industrial  
justice.""I never deserted any candidate for  
the presidency, or any one else, and  
I explicitly stated publicly and private-  
ly hundreds of times that I was not  
supporting any man for president and  
every candidate knew this."

## CONTESTS TAFT DELEGATES

Senator Dixon Will Protest Southern  
Representatives.Washington, March 18.—Contests  
against Taft delegates from all South-  
ern states to the Chicago Republican  
convention will be taken before the  
national committee in June by the  
Roosevelt forces, according to a state-  
ment given out here over the signature  
of Senator Joseph M. Dixon, Colonel  
Roosevelt's campaign manager.The announcement makes the defi-  
nite statement that in every Southern  
state, and in almost every district in  
those states which have elected dele-  
gates to date, contests will come be-  
fore the national committee.

## WILL DRIVE OUT MORMONS

Swedish Parliament Decides to Expel  
Missionaries.Stockholm, March 18.—More than  
100 Mormon agents who have been  
proselyting in Sweden for the last few  
years and Mormon missionaries who  
are regularly stationed here are to be  
expelled by act of parliament.The Swedish parliament has had a  
long discussion over the question and  
has just agreed on the Mormon expul-  
sion and will grant a good sized fund  
for a thorough anti-Mormon cam-  
paign.

## DIES AT W. C. A. DEDICATION

Francis C. Moore Drops Dead Just  
After Making Address.Lakewood, N. J., March 18.—Francis  
C. Moore, former president of the Con-  
tinental Insurance company of New  
York, dropped dead from heart failure  
just after delivering a five-minute ad-  
dress at the dedicatory exercises at  
the new Young Women's Christian as-  
sociation building here. Mr. Moore  
fell upon his wife's shoulders as he  
returned to his seat and expired in  
her arms. He was seventy years old.HALT PENSION  
LEGISLATIONGeorgia Members In Both Houses  
Block Bills.

## HOKE SMITH LEADS THE FIGHT

Measures Finally Passed—Minority  
Leader Mann Delays Business In the  
House—Southern Statesmen Think  
Underwood Will Beat Taft—The  
Smith Family Senatorial.By ARTHUR W. DUNN.  
Washington, March 18.—[Special.]—  
A new era has dawned in pension leg-  
islation. For more than a dozen years  
there has simply been a race between  
the house on one side and the senate  
on the other as to which body could  
put through the largest number of pri-  
vate pension bills in the shortest pos-  
sible time.As the contest grew warmer a scheme  
was devised to baffle the bills in one  
large omnibus measure so that they  
could be expedited. The clerks gal-  
loped through these omnibus bills,  
touching a page once in five or six  
leaves of the bill. No one paid any at-  
tention to them save the members of  
the pension committees.But there has been a halt in the  
speedy manner of pension legislation.  
Georgia has come to the rescue. Sen-  
ator Hoke Smith in the senate debated  
a pension bill and put it over for a day.  
Ordinarily it would have passed in  
ten minutes. Rodenberg, Tribble and  
Howard fought and filibustered a day  
in the house, and while they could not  
prevent the passage of one of the om-  
nibus bills, they held it back for some  
time."Plenty of Time."  
Minority Leader Mann compels a  
rather strict enforcement of the rules  
of "e house and is willing to see as  
much time occupied as possible on the  
special days set apart for consideration  
of bills under the new rules, adopted  
against his protest. When a Democrat  
pleads with him to allow more speed  
in order to give attention to the approp-  
riation bills he always replies that  
there is "plenty of time."Mann hopes to force the Democrats  
to resort to the most exorbitant methods  
in order to pass some of the bills. He  
does not look for an early adjournment  
of this session."Put Oscar Over."  
One of the shrewd politicians from  
the south was discussing the presi-  
dential situation in the Democratic pri-  
maries, and just at that moment Oscar  
Underwood passed by."When the leaders get together at  
Baltimore," remarked the man from  
the south, "they will decide to put Os-  
car over. He will be the strongest man  
we can nominate. He can beat Taft,  
and it looks to me as if Taft is the  
man that we have got to beat in this  
campaign."Oh, Those Smiths!  
There is only one Smith in the sen-  
ate who does just as the "elder states-  
man" would have him. That is John  
Walter of Maryland. The others are  
"doing things" to wreck senatorial  
dignity and precedent. Ellison Du-  
Rant of South Carolina is only a mild  
offender, but the others—oh, my! Why,  
Hoke Smith began his term only with  
this session and, having something to  
say, has said it. Besides, he has at-  
tacked and held up a pension bill for  
two days. He does not seem to mind  
the pained expression upon the faces  
of those who have been running the  
senate.And only the other day William  
Alden Smith of Michigan said right  
out in open senate, "I think I will for  
the first time take a little liberty with  
the parliamentary procedure of the  
senate and ask for a recess myself.""I am supposed to be in charge of  
the matter under consideration," re-  
marked Senator Lodge severely. The  
idea that a senator who has been there  
only six years taking it upon himself  
to move a recess or an adjournment  
to go into executive session was noth-  
ing more than astounding. Such mo-  
tions belong to senators of experience.

## Not a Fisherman.

With all his other attributes Senator  
Heyburn is not a fisherman. Senator  
Poindexter was trying to corner Hey-  
burn in regard to one of his many as-  
sertions and finally had to conclude  
that he "couldn't get anything."  
"It is a dry haul," retorted Heyburn  
with withering sarcasm. If he had  
been a fisherman he would have said  
"water haul."

## "Both Sides of the Street."

With a number of New Mexicans Con-  
gressman Ferguson was introduced to  
President Taft. "How is it," asked  
the president, "that you and Curry are  
here together, one a Republican and  
the other a Democrat?""That's all right, Mr. President," re-  
plied Ferguson. "We are like two  
tramps striking a town. We are work-  
ing both sides of the street."

## "The Worst Fault."

Speaker Champ Clark refuses to  
leave Washington for more than a day.  
"The worst fault with congress is ab-  
senteism," he said, "and I am not go-  
ing to set a bad example." It has al-  
ways been a mystery why the major-  
ity that actually stays around and at-  
tends to business does not cure this  
fault by docking the pay of members  
who do not attend the sessions of the  
house.On the Trail.  
"Does your dance know your age,  
Lotta?" "Well—partly."—Fillegende  
Blatter.

## DR. MARY E. WALKER.

Woman Who Wears Male  
Attire Is Critically Ill.

## DR. MARY E. WALKER IS ILL

Aged Advocate of "Dress Reform" in  
New York Hospital.New York, March 18.—Dr. Mary E.  
Walker, widely known as advocate  
of woman's rights and "dress reform,"  
in which she set an example by wear-  
ing male attire, is in the Presbyterian  
hospital here reported to be danger-  
ously ill. Relatives in Oswego, N. Y.,  
have been notified.Dr. Walker had an engagement to  
make an address here. Upon her ar-  
rival, however, she was found to be  
suffering from a nervous breakdown  
and was taken from the train to the  
hospital. On account of her advanced  
age—she is an octogenarian—her  
friends fear her illness will prove a  
critical one.ANARCHY AND FAMINE  
PREVAIL IN CHINANation's Finances Are Also in  
Chaotic Condition.Peking, March 18.—Anarchy and  
famine prevail throughout the coun-  
try. The nation's finances are in a  
chaotic condition and China is divided  
into several parts. The legations do  
not fear any immediate or widespread  
risings or anti-foreign attacks, but  
they do not believe that the country  
will be reunited, the army disbanded  
and reorganization and progressive de-  
velopment accomplished without long  
and intense suffering and serious po-  
litical struggles.Premier Tang Shao Yi has left here  
for Nanking. The Southern delegates,  
with whom he came to Peking, de-  
parted several days ago. Certain of  
the foreign ministers who have met  
Tang Shao Yi consider him something  
of a visionary. The four powers group  
of financiers, though perhaps with  
some bias, are of the opinion that his  
financial policy is dangerous and ac-  
cuse him of trickiness in negotiating  
the present loans with which he was  
intrusted.The Southern delegation generally  
has disappointed the diplomatic rep-  
resentatives, as with one exception  
they were apparently without experi-  
ence. They have been ardent work-  
ers for the cause, but seemingly do  
not realize that the republic was  
achieved with few sacrifices and large-  
ly because the Manchus did not seri-  
ously combat the delegates.

## FOUR POWERS REFUSE LOAN

Action Taken Because of Assistance  
by Franco-Belgian Syndicate.Peking, March 18.—It is understood  
that the scheme for financing China  
until the end of June has been sus-  
pended in consequence of the loan fur-  
nished by the Franco-Belgian syndi-  
cate. The "four powers" group have  
refused to advance the 1,000,000 taels,  
which was promised Saturday, in con-  
sequence of this alleged breach of  
faith and are awaiting advices from  
their respective governments.When Premier Tang Shao Yi im-  
plored prompt financial assistance, ow-  
ing to the necessity of paying off 500,  
000 soldiers, he did not hint at any  
other loan, although negotiations to  
that end were then proceeding. The  
incident is attributed to the Chinese  
desire to play off the rival foreign  
interests against each other.

## DIXON ASKS FOR A REPLY

Wants Answer From McKinley on  
Primary "Challenge."Washington, March 18.—Senator  
Joseph M. Dixon, chairman of the  
Roosevelt executive committee, ad-  
dressed a letter to Representative  
William McKinley, director of the na-  
tional Taft bureau, pressing for a re-  
ply to the "challenge" to presidential  
preference primaries.Senator Dixon calls attention to the  
allegations of use of federal patronage  
in President Taft's behalf as addi-  
tional reasons to those which he origi-  
nally gave for his challenge to Director  
McKinley.

## American Troops Arrive.

Tientsin, March 18.—A battalion of  
the Fifteenth infantry, which left  
Manila March 9, arrived here, having  
been detained outside of Taku since  
Friday owing to a storm. The bat-  
talion, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel  
Edward A. Root, is made up of 444  
men, including a band.POSSE FAILS TO  
CATCH OUTLAWS

## GOOD SEED IS VERY SCARCE

Situation in Minnesota Borders on a  
Calamity.Minneapolis, March 18.—The scar-  
city of good seed for the spring plant-  
ing of corn and smaller grains borders  
on a calamity, according to Professor  
C. P. Bull, agronomist at the agricul-  
tural college of the University of Min-  
nesota and secretary of the Minnesota  
Field Crop Breeders' association.The alarming situation has resulted  
in an appeal by Professor Bull to all  
members of the association to fur-  
nish the college with information as  
to the availability of good seed in any  
of the grains. The appeal took the  
form of a circular issued by Professor  
Bull and sent broadcast throughout  
the state.

## HONOR CLEVELAND'S MEMORY

President Taft and Others Send Let-  
ters of Tribute.New York, March 18.—Grover Cleve-  
land's memory was honored at a pub-  
lic meeting in the City college, com-  
memorating his seventy-first birthday  
anniversary. Tributes from President  
Taft, Governor Dix of New York and  
Governor Harmon of Ohio were read  
and eulogistic addresses delivered by  
men with whom Mr. Cleveland was as-  
sociated. The exercises were attend-  
ed by Mrs. Francis Folsom Cleveland,  
widow of the former president, and  
Mrs. Daniel S. Lamont, widow of the  
secretary of war in one of the Cleve-  
land cabinets.

## ROSEWATER SUCCEEDS HILL

Nebraska Editor to Head Republican  
National Committee.New York, March 18.—The chair-  
manship of the Republican national  
committee, made vacant by the death  
of John Fremont Hill, former governor  
of Maine, will be filled up to the time  
of the national convention at least by  
Vice Chairman Victor Rosewater, edi-  
tor and proprietor of the Bee of Om-  
aha, Neb. Selection of a permanent  
chairman will be made by the commit-  
tee at the national convention.Mr. Rosewater is a member of the  
subcommittee of arrangements for the  
Chicago convention.

## MINISTER IS FOUND GUILTY

Jury Finds Rev. McFarland Caused  
Death of Girl Secretary.Pittsburg, March 18.—Rev. Dr. W.  
D. McFarland, minister and educator,  
former head of the Pittsburg Central  
high school, but later connected with  
United Presbyterian Mission work at  
Greenville, Tenn., was convicted by a  
jury in criminal court here of causing  
the death of his former secretary,  
Elsie Dods Coe, last January.

## Sunday Card Playing Laws.

There was a time when people in  
England were forbidden by law to play  
at cards, even in their own houses, on  
Sunday. In the royal proclamation  
against vice, profaneness and immor-  
ality, read at every session of court, is  
the following passage: "And we do  
hereby strictly enjoin and prohibit all  
our loving subjects, of what degree or  
quality soever, from playing on the  
Lord's day at dice, cards or any other  
game whatsoever, either in public or  
private houses or other places whatso-  
ever."

## GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

St. Paul Live Stock.

St. Paul, March 16.—Cattle—Good to  
choice steers, \$6.25 to \$7.00; fair to good,  
\$4.75 to \$6.25; good to choice cows and  
heifers, \$4.50 to \$5.75; veals, \$6.50 to \$6.75.  
Hogs—\$6.40 to \$6.65. Sheep—Wethers,  
\$3.50 to \$4.50; yearlings, \$3.50 to \$5.50;  
spring lambs, \$4.25 to \$6.00.

## Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, March 16.—Wheat—To ar-  
rive on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.06½;  
No. 1 Northern, \$1.05½; No. 2 North-  
ern, \$1.02½ to \$1.03½; May, \$1.05½ to  
\$1.06½; July, \$1.06½ to \$1.06½. Flax—  
On track and to arrive, \$2.04½; in  
store, \$2.03½; May, \$2.04½.

## Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, March 16.—Wheat—May,  
\$1.01½ to \$1.01½; July, 97½ to 97½c;  
Sept., 95½c. Corn—May, 69½c; July,  
70½ to 70½c; Sept., 70½c. Oats—May,  
53½c; July, 48½ to 48½c; Sept., 41½c.  
Pork—May, \$16.05; July, \$16.35 to \$16.37.  
Butter—Creameries, 26½ to 29c; dairies,  
23 to 27c. Eggs—19½ to 20½c. Poultry  
—Turkeys, 14 to 18½c; chickens, 15c;  
springs, 15c.

## Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 16.—Cattle—Beeves,  
\$5.00 to \$8.50; Texas steers, \$4.60 to \$6.00;  
Western steers, \$5.00 to \$7.00; stockers  
and feeders, \$4.10 to \$6.00; cows and  
heifers, \$2.30 to \$6.55; calves, \$5.75 to \$8-  
25. Hogs—Light, \$6.70 to \$7.00; mixed,  
\$6.75 to \$6.85; heavy, \$6.75 to \$7.05; rough,  
\$6.75 to \$6.85; pigs, \$4.80 to \$6.50. Sheep—  
Native, \$3.70 to \$5.50; yearlings, \$5.00 to  
\$6.40; lambs, \$5.25 to \$7.50.

## Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, March 16.—Wheat—  
May, \$1.05½; July, \$1.06½. Cash close  
on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.07; No. 1  
Northern, \$1.06½; to arrive, \$1.06½  
to \$1.06½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.04½; to ar-  
rive, \$1.04 to \$1.04½; No. 3 Northern,  
\$1.02½; No. 3 yellow corn, 65½ to  
66½c; No. 4 corn, 60 to 63c; No. 3  
white oats, 51½ to 52c; to arrive,  
51½c; No. 3 oats, 48 to 50c; barley, 70c  
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Ridge mountains the Allen gang, who  
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stituted law by a massacre of the  
judge, the prosecutor and the sheriff  
of the Carroll county court last Thurs-  
day, continue to defy capture.



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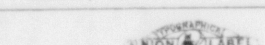
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MONDAY, MARCH 18, 1912.

Brainerd Weather Bureau  
Temperature taken by Theo.  
Miller, Cooperative Observer

March 17, 1912, Maximum temper-  
ature, 35 degrees above zero.  
March 18, 1912, minimum temper-  
ature, 19 degrees above zero.  
Rainfall, .04 inches.  
The U. S. weather bureau forecast  
is: "Fair tonight. Probably giv-  
ing unsettled Tuesday. Colder north  
portion Tuesday."

### LOCAL NEWS NOTES

E. O. Webb went to St. Paul today.  
Robinson, the piano tuner, at Mc-  
Coll's Bazaar. 23916  
E. A. Lamb, of Deerwood, is in  
the city.  
Rev. Parshall came from Cass Lake  
this noon.  
H. Lefko, of Crosby, was in the  
city today.  
T. G. Butler, of Pequot, was in  
Brainerd today.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Loom went to  
Motley Saturday.  
Claim your presents. Read Catlin  
& Smith and learn how. 24312  
John Kline is working in the  
blacksmith shop.  
Ed. Ovig returned today from a  
visit at Nisswa.  
Look at Mrs. J. K. Pearce's ad an-  
nouncing her opening. 11  
L. E. Wilson, of Deerwood, was in  
the city on business.  
S. A. Stanley has found employ-  
ment in the car shops.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson went  
to Staples this noon.  
Boilermakers' helpers are said to be  
planning a new union.  
A. P. Riggs represents only first  
class Union Insurance companies.  
Office Room 6, Bane block. 24212  
Miss Celia Knebel, of Pequot, vis-  
ited in Brainerd Saturday.  
Miss Florence Davis, of Pine River,  
was a Brainerd visitor Saturday.  
John Bye, of the firm of Bye &  
Peterson, has been very sick the last  
week.  
M. F. Crosby and A. E. Brink, of  
Crosby, are in the city in regard to  
school matters.  
Max Zalk, of Duluth, visited his  
son-in-law, R. Buchman and family  
Sunday afternoon.  
Don't read the FREE premium ad  
of Catlin & Smith in this issue. 24312

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hotchkiss have  
returned from a week's visit with re-  
latives in Pine River.

Jack Kleinman, of New York city,  
has accepted a position in the Iron  
Exchange barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Anderson went  
to Barrows today to attend the Quack-  
enbush-Porter wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Benson are the  
proud parents of a baby boy who  
arrived on St. Patrick's day.

Get Robinson, the piano tuner, at  
McColl's Bazaar. 23916

Mrs. George Stillwell and daugh-  
ter, Miss Hazel Stillwell, are visiting  
friends and relatives in Detroit.

J. F. Vaughn has established his  
office for carrying on his cement busi-  
ness at his residence, 523 South  
Ninth street.

Mrs. Z. J. LeBlanc has gone to  
Paradise, Mont., to rejoin her hus-  
band. Later they will visit friends  
in Seattle, Wash.

DR. BRUNS will be at the Hotel  
Ramsford March 20 and 21. If you  
need spectacles or eye glasses, don't  
fail to see him. Examination free.

Engineer F. A. Glass has been sur-  
veying for the new owners of Bar-  
rows, establishing grade lines and do-  
ing other engineering work at Bar-  
rows.

Northeast Brainerd and North Side  
residents wish to call attention to the  
fact that the crossing light on 8th  
street has been dark several nights  
this week.

FREE presents to buyers at the  
closing sale of Middlemas Shoe Store.  
See ad in this issue. 24312

The city council holds its regular  
meeting this evening. Among the  
important business coming up is the  
hearing of a petition from Third ave-  
nue residents.

L. D. Bailey accused of an alleged  
violation of the game laws, had a  
preliminary hearing at the municipal  
court today and was bound over to  
the grand jury under \$400 bonds.

Ole Anderson, of Northeast Brainerd,  
lost a valuable milch cow Sun-  
day morning. The animal was in  
good condition Saturday and her  
death is quite a loss to Mr. Anderson.

John Anderson, the champion wel-  
ter weight wrestler of Finland, eas-  
ily defeated Harry McAliff Satur-  
day night, taking two straight falls,  
the first in 4½ minutes and the sec-  
ond in 1½ minutes.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for  
quality. Order a case. Telephone  
164. John Coates Liquor Co. 208-11

Write me for prices at Hope, N.  
D., on second hand steam engines  
and second hand separators, leather  
and rubber belting. Henry Lipp-  
gles, Hope, N. D.

A bouncing baby boy was born to  
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jacobs, of Mot-  
ley, on St. Patrick's day in the morn-  
ing. The father is the cashier of the  
First National bank of Motley and  
the mother was formerly Miss Dono-  
van, of this city.

Mrs. Bertha Bruce, Miss Ida Hoff-  
bauer, Mrs. Hilmer A. Wilson and  
Miss May B. Bruce went to Barrows  
today to attend the Quackenbush-  
Porter wedding. Miss Bruce will  
play the wedding march at the cere-  
monies this evening.

E. G. Ingalls, of the Ingalls Motor  
Boat Co., of Crosby, was in Brainerd  
on his way to Motley. Mr. In-  
galls says the crows, those certain  
harbingers of spring, have appeared  
in his neighborhood. He expects the  
ice to leave Serpent lake early in  
April.

The three months old daughter of  
Mr. and Mrs. Hugo A. Kaatz was  
christened Vernice Bertha Kaatz Sun-  
day afternoon, Rev. Bratzel officiat-  
ing. A large number of friends were  
present at the christening and at the  
conclusion of the ceremonies a supper  
was served.

News has been received in the city  
of the death of Norbert LaFond,  
which occurred at Powers, Mich., on  
March 13. He was aged 78 and was  
a brother of the late Moses LaFond.  
He was well known in Little Falls  
and Brainerd, having resided in both  
cities for many years.—Little Falls  
Transcript.

Lillian Russell, the Beauty Expert,  
says those who wish to improve their  
health and looks should take a Turk-  
ish bath, at least, once a week. For  
health and Beauty take a Turkish  
bath at Ridley's Gymnasium. 23711

Mrs. Ed. Britton met with a dan-  
gerous mishap last week, injuries  
from which are causing her much  
pain. She had been to the cellar  
and neglecting to close the door, a  
few minutes later backed into the  
stairway and fell to the cellar floor.  
No bones were broken but she was  
badly bruised.—Aitkin Age.

The funeral of the late Alonzo  
Richardson, who passed away at Sta-  
ples, was held at ten o'clock this  
morning from the First Methodist  
church, the Rev. Charles Fox Davis  
officiating. Interment was in Ever-  
green cemetery. The deceased was a  
widower and leaves two sons, Cas-  
hous Richardson, of Brainerd and T.  
Richardson of Staples.

At Pillager the tie votes on record-  
ers were disposed of and the socialist,  
A. L. Randall won out. A Wild-  
man, of the peoples ticket, won the  
constable office, when that tie vote  
was disposed of. One of the old jus-  
tices of the peace claimed he held  
over and Attorney Jay Henry Long  
gave an opinion in his favor. Thos.  
H. Parsons, whose name appeared on  
ballots, was made justice of the peace.  
Other justice of the peace tickets,

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## "Where Fashion Reigns"

carrying names of two candidates,  
were ruled out and Parsons, with  
but a few votes, was awarded the po-  
sition.

Mrs. D. A. Haggard and two lit-  
tle daughters have arrived from St.  
Paul and the family will make their  
home at 507 Kingwood street. Mr.  
Haggard is an attorney and a mem-  
ber of the firm of Haggard & Broady.  
Mrs. Bruce J. Broady, wife of At-  
torney Broady, has also arrived from St.  
Paul and they will make their home  
at the Erb residence, 402 South 6th  
street. Messrs. Haggard & Broady  
are meeting with much success in  
their legal business and their bring-  
ing their families to Brainerd stamps  
them as permanent residents of the  
city. They have already made many  
friends here who are glad to see them  
settle in this city.

South side residents are dissatis-  
fied with the lake which is forming  
on Oak street between Sixth and  
Seventh streets. Water flows down  
from Sixth street for four blocks and  
also from Oak street and gathers at  
the corner and flows over the curb-  
ing into the center of the entire  
block where property owners have  
laboriously endeavored to fill a hole  
with hundreds of loads of dirt. If  
the flow is not checked soon, there  
will be a lake in this block of resi-  
dences. The sewer is frozen and peo-  
ple are objecting to having the back  
end of their lots used as a reservoir  
for water draining down two or  
three streets.

The sleigh ride party given by the  
Epworth League of the Methodist  
church to Krech's school house on  
Saturday evening filled two sleighs,  
and a most delightful time was en-  
joyed. At the school house an im-  
promptu program of vocal music and  
readings was rendered. A spelling  
contest and a regular "Deestreet  
skule" time took place. Moxie Mah-  
lum and Charley Krech received the  
honors of the occasion; the former  
reciting "Casey at the Bat," and  
Charley Krech rendered a fine tenor  
solo, gave a reading, made a speech  
and ate much cake, doing it all to  
perfection. The young people have  
renamed the Pine King, Senator Chas.  
Krech, and promised to vote for him  
when he runs for that high office.  
The senator is a great entertainer and  
a fine time was spent by all.

The "Child's Welfare" movement  
has challenged the attention of  
thoughtful people everywhere. Mothers  
are natural supporters, and will  
find in Foley's Honey and Tar Com-  
pound a most valuable aid. Coughs  
and colds that unchecked lead to croup  
bronchitis and pneumonia yield quick-  
ly to the healing and soothing quali-  
ties of Foley's Honey and Tar Com-  
pound. For sale by all druggists.  
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### SOCIAL EVENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer A. Wilson,  
1521 Pine street, entertained Sat-  
urday evening in honor of Mr. and  
Mrs. Lloyd Greeno, on the occasion  
of their second wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cain, 511  
Pine street, were pleasantly surprised  
at their home on Saturday evening  
by 30 friends, the event being their  
fifth wedding anniversary. The hap-  
py couple was presented with a hand-  
some rocking chair. A bountiful  
luncheon was served and all enjoyed  
a pleasant evening. Among those  
present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. E.  
Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lind, Mr.  
and Mrs. A. Linn, Mr. and Mrs. S.  
V. Long, Mr. and Mrs. J. Saltee,  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cain, Mr. and  
Mrs. James Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs.  
Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thone, Mr.  
and Mrs. John Pilstrom and Miss  
Lillian Chadwick. All met at the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. Long and from  
there went to the residence of Mr.  
and Mrs. Cain.

A Cold, LaGrippe, Then Pneumonia  
is too often the fatal sequence and  
coughs that hang on weaken the sys-  
tem and lower the vital resistance.  
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### HOW FOURNIER WAS KILLED

Threatened to Cut the Throat of the  
Wife of George Cyr Who Shot  
Him Down

The Bemidji Pioneer has the fol-  
lowing regarding the killing of Paul  
Fournier near that place:

George Cyr, who is said to have  
shot and killed Paul Fournier in  
Quiring township yesterday, was  
brought to Bemidji this morning by  
John Morrison, deputy sheriff of that  
district. The body of Fournier was  
also brought to Bemidji and it is ex-  
pected that the coroner's inquest will  
be held late this afternoon or tomor-  
row morning. Mrs. Cyr was brought  
here as a witness.

Fournier will be remembered as  
one of the men charged with killing  
N. G. Dahl, and his daughter, Agate,  
in 1907, on their homestead north of  
Bemidji. Fournier was once sen-  
tenced to the penitentiary for life  
but was released on an appeal and  
on subsequent trials was found not  
guilty. His last trial, that for the  
murder of Agate Dahl, was held at  
Aitkin in the spring of 1910. Since  
then he has been living in the woods  
in Quiring township near the Indian  
reservation.

The story of the shooting, as  
brought to Bemidji today, would ap-  
parently indicate that the act was  
not premeditated by Cyr. Cyr and  
his wife claim that Fournier stated  
several days ago that as soon as one  
of their boarders left he was going  
to make trouble. Last week, Mr.  
Cyr came to Bemidji to get a pay-  
ment of money, \$325 of which was  
made in check. Fournier is said to  
have known of this payment, but  
not that a large part of the money  
was in a check, and that he entered  
the house yesterday for the purpose  
of robbery.

The Cyr say that when he came  
in first he pulled the table cloth off  
the table, spilling the breakfast dis-  
hes. Then he started for the money  
bag, which was hanging on the wall  
and contained the check and \$46 in  
currency. Mrs. Cyr remonstrated  
and he is alleged to have replied:  
"Get away or I will cut your throat."  
He had a knife in his hand at this  
time and threatened the woman.

George Cyr says he replied, "Drop  
that knife and the money or I will  
shoot," he having in the meantime  
taken his gun from the wall. He  
says that Fournier continued to  
threaten and that then he shot him,  
the bullet passing through the abdo-  
minal cavity close to the heart. Cyr  
then said: "You will kill two more  
people in here, will you? You dirty  
dog!" He then dragged the body  
out of the house and left it lying  
there until the arrival of Morrison  
and others.

Fournier was about 45 years of  
age and unmarried. He is said to  
have been subject to fits of intense  
anger and that when in such a state,

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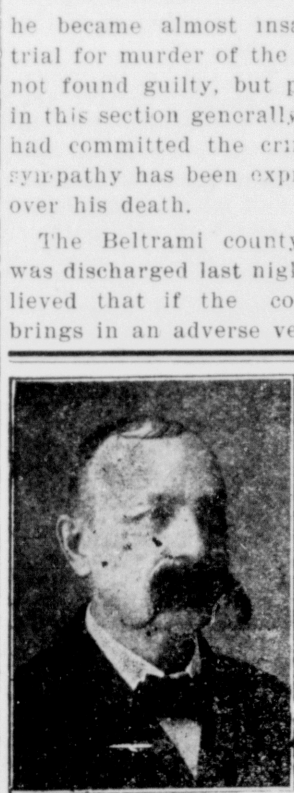
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Last Night

OR DUNN IS TOASTMASTER

Diners Heard Hon. M. J. Daly,  
f Perham, Rev. Father O'Ma-  
honey and Other Speak

ead Mile Faitte," or "You're a  
sand Times Welcome" was the  
y greeting to every guest at the  
ant St. Patrick's day banquet  
at Gardner hall Sunday evening.  
St. Patrick, the patron saint of  
Emerald Isle, was honored in  
herd as he has never been honor-  
ed any previous occasion.  
e banquet idea of Rev. Father J.  
Mahoney proved a happy inspir-  
and the occasion was enjoyed  
e utmost by the 350 diners pres-  
ent.  
A splendid program of eloquent  
esses, songs and instrumental  
tions, interspersed with the witty  
of the toastmaster, Mayor  
Dunn and by lilting Irish melo-  
played by Graham's orchestra  
ved to make it an occasion long  
remembered in the annals of  
ssful celebrations.  
e guests were seated at three  
tables, extending the length of  
hall and which were appropri-  
decorated with souvenirs of St.  
ck's day. The candelabra had  
ed candles. Small green flags  
ed each guest's place at the  
table. And even some of the cake  
the frosting colored the shade of  
at Erin. The flowers, scattered  
t the tables, were green carna-

the walls of the hall were flags  
in entwined in Old Glory. The  
um where Graham's orchestra  
seated was tastily decorated. At  
rear wall back of the musicians  
banner of A. O. H. Division No.  
azed a welcome as it shone forth  
een the folds of two large Amer-  
flags.

the ladies of St. Francis Catholic  
ch provided the banquet and the  
with its various courses, was a  
nuous culinary triumph. When  
eloquence, Irish music and Irish  
are in evidence, one trying to  
be the other you are privileged  
tend a perfect feast fit for the

ter the dinner had progressed to  
ight period, Mayor H. P. Dunn,  
toastmaster of the evening, arose  
made the introductory remarks,  
ys sincere and deeply eloquent,  
or Dunn referred to the gathering  
ne which wished to pay tribute  
Patrick, that great apostle who  
ed the fires of Christianity in  
Ireland. The splendid audi-  
present was the best possible re-  
sponse to the respect in which  
ories and traditions, the noble  
of St. Patrick is held by all.  
William Barron, county president  
of the Ancient Order of Hibernians,  
introduced by the toastmaster,  
Mr. Barron paid tribute to the  
tiful music which had been rend-  
uring the evening. "The love  
country is a sentiment natural to  
kind; but with the Hibernian it  
strong passion which distance  
ot diminish nor time impair.  
and is a land of surpassing lovi-  
ness."

No country four times its size  
lay claim to as many illustrious  
and women as can Ireland." In  
clusion he traced the work which  
men have done in upbuilding  
rican institutions.  
Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney, the  
speaker, prefaced his address by  
ng a short story about a Sunday  
ol teacher and her pupils. The  
her had been imparting the  
wledge of divine things and at  
end of her instruction she asked  
class: "Now my children, who  
o heaven?" One little fellow  
his hand violently and the  
her nodded her head for an ans-  
and the boy said: "Dead ones."  
On an occasion like this," con-

tinued Rev. Father O'Mahoney, "it  
behooves us not to be dead ones. The  
Irish are always much alive. They  
love a good fight. It's right in them.  
Every Irishman would have to be  
born again to get the fighting blood  
out of him." He then told the story  
of three men of different national-  
ities who viewed a large stuffed bird  
displayed in the windows of a taxid-  
ermist's shop. Said the Scotchman  
who look on the thirty side of  
things: "That must be a costly bird  
to raise." The Englishman thinking  
of a possible dinner, examined the  
bird closely and said: "That must  
be a tough bird to bite." The Irish-  
man, in whom pugnacity was the pre-  
dominant trait, said: "That must  
be a terrible bird to fight."

Rev. Father O'Mahoney then took  
up the serious side of his discourse  
and said: "After 700 years of bond-  
age the Irish are still one of the par-  
amount races of Europe. No people  
have a greater love of home than  
the Irish. Ireland's beautiful liter-  
ary gifts are acknowledged the world  
over. Not one Irishman ever penned  
one word to bring the blush of shame  
to the face of any woman. We have  
no realists in Irish literature, no Tol-  
stois or Ibsens which seem to be the  
fad of womens' clubs at this date." In  
closing he gave a brilliant perora-  
tion in which Ireland with her schol-  
ars among all nations imparting hu-  
man and divine knowledge was the  
source of more pride to him than an  
Ireland with smokestacks of industry  
or a land acting as the avenger and  
scourge of nations.

William Graham played a cornet  
solo of Irish melodies, being given  
hearty applause for the artistic man-  
ner in which he rendered the selec-  
tion.

J. J. Nolan was the next speaker  
and told several good stories. One  
was the story of the Irishman who  
had been hired to take the part of the  
African lion in the menagerie and  
and when in his cage, the door was  
opened and the Bengal tiger was ad-  
mitted. Pat retreated till further re-  
treat was cut off by the rear wall of  
the cage and when his heart was in  
his mouth and his knees rattled, the  
Bengal tiger nudged him in the side  
and said: "Begorra man! What's  
the matter? I'm from Tipperary my-  
self." Mr. Nolan congratulated Rev.  
Father O'Mahoney on his plan of  
providing the banquet and said it  
offered a welcome variation in the  
way of a St. Patrick's day entertain-  
ment. "The memory of no patriot,"  
said Mr. Nolan, was more cherished  
than that of St. Patrick, of Ireland.  
Without bloodshed, rancor or bitter-  
ness he converted the people of Ire-  
land, not for a short time, but for all  
time to come. The fires of Christian-  
ity have burned brilliantly since  
first ignited by the saint." He re-  
ferred to the uplifting work of the  
Gaelic league and also paid a com-  
pliment to the Ancient Order of Hi-  
bernians.

The chorus of St. Francis parochial  
school sang "The Harp That Once  
Through Tara's Halls," and the girls  
received much applause for their  
beautiful singing.

Rev. Father Cream, who lately left  
Ireland and came to St. Francis pa-  
rish, was the next speaker. "I feel I  
cannot do what I wished to do," said  
Father Cream, modestly believing he  
could not do justice to the occasion.  
"I didn't think after I left Ireland  
that I would see so much green  
again." His naive way of speaking  
caused a large outburst of applause.  
"I thought that the only green I  
would see was when I looked in the  
mirror this morning and saw my own  
face. We are celebrating today,"  
continued Father Cream, "in honor of  
no ordinary man, but the greatest  
hero, apostle and evangelist of any  
country. St. Patrick left Ireland a  
fugitive, he returned a conqueror.  
He found Ireland pagan, he left it  
Christian Catholic. Ireland has been  
persecuted unmercifully but has re-  
mained true to her traditions."

Miss Patti Hamelin sang "Come  
Back to Erin" and as an encore gave  
"The Dear, Little Shamrock."

M. E. Ryan responded to the toast,  
(Continued on page 4)

Have you ever been annoyed by the  
uncertainty of just how your garment will  
appear when completed and by the delays  
so often encountered when you have a garment made?

This is all overcome if you buy you Easter dress ready  
made. You know when you try on the dress just how it  
will appear and you need not worry about the style or the  
fitting qualities.

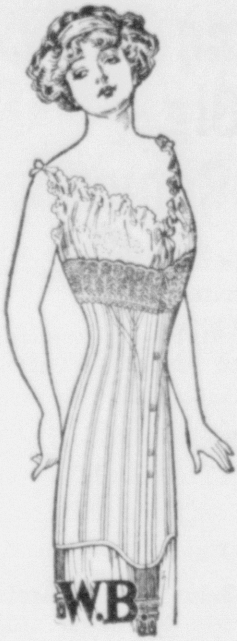
We have a beautiful line of the new spring cloth dresses  
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Scientific in construction, artistic in  
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no restraint on the natural litheness  
and freedom of the figure.

W. B. Nuform styles are thorough-  
ly up-to-date. Material of superior  
quality, daintily trimmed. Boning  
guaranteed not to rust. Price \$1 up.

BOILER EXPLODES  
KILLING 25 MEN

Special to Dispatch:

San Antonio, Tex., March 18.—  
Twenty five men are known to have  
been killed and many more injured  
and several buildings wrecked to-  
day when a locomotive boiler ex-  
ploded in the local yards of the South-  
ern Pacific. Eighteen bodies were  
recovered from the wreckage within  
two hours after the explosion.

PRIMARIES MUST  
HAVE SAFEGUARDS

Special to Dispatch:—

Boston, March 18.—Speaking here  
today President Taft declared him-  
self in favor of presidential primaries  
for the coming campaign providing  
they are surrounded with safeguards.  
He replied to Colonel Roosevelt's  
slogan, "Let the people rule," by de-  
claring that the people have ruled  
this country for over 100 years.

CROOKSTON DEBATERS WIN

Defeat the Brainerd High School  
Team in an Argument on the  
Parcels Post

A dispatch to the St. Paul Pio-  
neer Press from Crookston states  
that the Crookston high school de-  
bating team, consisting of Messrs.  
Bumgarten, Sylvester and Lee, won  
a unanimous decision in the debate  
with the Brainerd high school team,  
having the negative of the question  
"Resolved, that the government  
should establish a parcels post."

The judges were Professors S.  
Squires and Jacob Stein of the Uni-  
versity of North Dakota and Prof.  
Jacobson of the Moorhead normal.  
The teams were the champions of  
their respective districts, and Crook-  
ston now debates in the semi-finals  
for the state championship.

Applause was barred, but pande-  
monium broke loose when the de-  
cision was announced and for ten  
minutes the opera house shook with  
Crookston high school yells.

SERVICE TONIGHT

Rev. Walter J. Smith, Discourses To-  
night on "Greatest Thing in  
New Testament

The last week of the union ser-  
vices will commence tonight at the  
First Methodist Episcopal church,  
with the Rev. Walter J. Smith as  
preacher of the occasion.

In speaking of the preacher for to-  
night, the Rev. Charles Fox Davis  
says: "I consider the Rev. Walter  
J. Smith the best known and the  
most industrious preacher of Crow  
Wing county. His name is a house-  
hold name in every farmer's home in  
the county. In all kinds of weather  
throughout the year he is preaching  
several evenings during the week,  
visiting homes, and speaking very  
often three times on the Sabbath."

There is no telling the amount of  
good that he is doing; but the work  
is arduous and the county needs such  
a man to visit and bring good cheer  
with his presence and message to  
hundreds of families in the rural  
districts. Very few of us realize how  
many Sunday schools he has organ-  
ized in the county of Crow Wing  
and the two adjoining ones. Not  
only has he kept this work going  
faithfully for several years in our  
part of the state, but he has been a  
most busy student as well having  
successfully passed a course of study  
that would be a credit to any college  
graduate. I consider him an excel-  
lent speaker and am always pleased  
to have him occupy my pulpit."

The service will commence at 7:45  
and the Rev. Mr. Smith will speak  
on "The Greatest Thing in Christ's  
Speaking."

NEW PLUMBING CONCERN

Harry Belmont, an Old Resident of  
Brainerd, Will Head the New  
Firm in City

Brainerd is to have a new plumb-  
ing and heating firm. Harry Bel-  
mont, an old resident of Brainerd,  
will head the firm. Mr. Belmont is  
well and favorably known in Brainerd  
and throughout the neighboring  
community.

His associates in business will be  
William Maley and J. J. Egan, who  
now conduct the Deerwood and Cros-  
by Heating & Plumbing Co. The  
firm will be known as the Central  
Heating & Plumbing Co. and their  
place of business will be the build-  
ing formerly occupied by R. D. King,  
502 Front street.

CROW WING  
CO. ELECTION

Cuyuna

By a vote of 73 to 21 Cuyuna voted  
to construct and maintain a system  
of sewerage not to exceed \$15066 in  
cost.

By a vote of 88 to 10 it was decid-  
ed to issue and negotiate the bonds  
of the village in the aggregate  
amount of \$15,000, to mature \$5000  
in 10 years; \$5000 in 15 years, and  
\$5000 in 20 years, drawing interest  
at 6 per cent, payable semi-annually,  
for the purpose of erecting, construct-  
ing and maintaining a system of wa-  
ter works in and for said village,  
with all necessary tanks, water supply  
and attachments.

By a vote of 78 to 16 the proposi-  
tion carried to issue and negotiate  
the bonds of the village in the ag-  
gregate amount of \$10,000 to mature  
as follows: \$5000 in 12 years and  
\$5000 in 17 years, with interest at 6  
per cent, payable semi-annually, for  
the purpose of constructing and main-  
taining a system of sewerage in and  
for said village, with necessary at-  
tachments, water supply, drains and  
outlets.

C. A. Glossner, 24 Ontario St.,  
Rochester, N. Y., has recovered from  
a long and severe attack of kidney  
trouble, his cure being due to Foley  
Kidney Pills. After detailing his  
case, he says: "I am only sorry I did  
not learn sooner of Foley Kidney Pills.  
In a few days' time my backache com-  
pletely left me and I felt spells left  
me and I was no longer annoyed at  
night. I feel 100 per cent better  
since using Foley Kidney Pills." For  
sale by all druggists. mwfw

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

A Number of Court Cases to be Heard  
at the Adjourned Session Com-  
mencing Today

There was a preliminary call of  
cases at the adjourned session of the  
district court held this morning, pre-  
sided over by Judge W. S. McLenahan.

At two o'clock this afternoon the  
case of Benz vs Boppel was taken up.  
In the case of Brown vs Hagadorn,  
James E. McGrath and others were  
ordered to file an affidavit in support  
of their motion asking to be allowed  
to answer in the Torrens proceedings  
instituted.

D. M. Clark & Co. asked leave to  
file a supplemental answer in the case  
of Woodruff Lumber Co. vs George A.  
McKinley & Co., which was allowed.

In the case of the Parks Safety  
Window Balance & Lock Co. vs Lash-  
er, Attorney A. D. Polk asked for a  
new trial and the defendants also  
wanted a new trial. The plaintiff  
had sued for \$400, the defendant had  
filed a counter claim of \$1000 and the  
jury steered a middle course and sat-  
isfied neither side by awarding the  
defendant Lasher a \$25 verdict.

Former Brainerdite Dead

The Powers, Mich., Tribune says:  
Mr. Norbert Lafond died last Wed-  
nesday morning at half past four at  
the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cy-  
rien Lemay. Although sick for sev-  
eral months and his death was ex-  
pected still it came as a great shock  
to the family.

Mr. Lafond was born in Eastern  
Canada 77 years ago last August,  
coming to the States in 1870 he set-  
tled with his family in Brainerd,  
Minn., and lived there 5 years, his  
family being, the third white family  
to settle in Brainerd. Then he  
moved to Belle Prairie, Minn., and  
lived there six years; becoming home-  
sick for his native country he re-  
turned to Canada in 1881. In 1883  
he returned to Brainerd and made  
it his home until 1900 living at the  
corner of Oak and Seventh Sts. S.  
For the last twelve years he had made  
his home with his daughter here.

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Continuous Performance 7:30 to 10:00. Admission 5 and 10c  
Special Matinee Saturday at 3:00 P. M.

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A Biograph Comedy

"Pants and Pansies"

A Biograph Comedy of great merit. Scream after Scream

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A good drama picturing a stage struck girl

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A story of long ago

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"Good Night Mr. Moon"  
Accompanied by Miss Nell Fie Alderman

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1912 Ford, 5 passenger, fully  
equipped, top, windshield, speedome-  
ter -----\$690.00  
1912 Ford runabout, same equip-  
ment -----\$590.00  
One 1911 new 5 passenger Overland—  
Top and windshield -----\$800.00  
One 1911 new, 40 horsepower torpedo  
model Overland -----\$1400.00  
We handle all kinds of auto sup-  
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Soon

GLAD EASTER WILL  
SOON DEMAND A NEW  
COSTUME. WE ARE  
SHOWING CHIC COSTUME  
SPECIALS NOT TO BE  
FOUND ELSEWHERE IN THIS CITY. WE CREATE  
STYLES. BUY YOUR OUTFIT FROM US AND KNOW  
THAT "EVERYONE" WILL NOT BE WEARING THE  
SAME THING AS YOU.

IF YOU WISH TO MAKE YOUR EASTER CLOTHES,  
IS IT NOT HIGH TIME YOU WERE SELECTING THE  
MATERIALS. WE HAVE ALL THE NEWEST FABRICS  
AND INVITE YOU TO LET US SHOW THEM TO YOU.

L. M. KOOP  
"The Popular Store"



**BRAINERD OPERA HOUSE**

7—BIG NIGHTS—7  
Starting  
**Sunday March 17**  
**Sherman Kelly**  
**Big**  
**Stock Company**  
Supporting the Popular Comedian  
Sherman Kelly  
New Plays With Music  
and Feature Vaudeville  
Opening Play  
"THE LITTLE FOOL"  
A Comedy in Four Acts  
PRICES—10, 20 and 30 cents  
Seats on Sale Saturday at Theatre.  
Ladies FREE Monday under usual  
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Partly by driving blood from the surface and congesting the kidneys and partly by throwing too much work upon them. Foley Kidney Pills strengthen the kidneys, give tone to the urinary organs and restore the normal action of the bladder. They are tonic in action, quick in results. Try them. For sale by all druggists.

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\$1250—Six room cottage, convenient to shops, two nice corner lots, street paved.  
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\$1200—Six room cottage, three corner lots, almost new.  
\$1000—For a five room cottage in good repair, hardwood floors, two nice lots, south front.  
\$800—5 room house in good repair with large piece of ground in N. E. Brainerd good location for garden and chicken ranch. Will sell on easy payments, or trade for property close to shops.  
Get Busy, These Bargains Won't Last Long. See us for City Property  
**SMITH BROS.,**  
Front Street  
Sleeper Block.

**WANTS**

Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and on, half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion, strictly cash in advance, but no ad will be taken for less than fifteen cents.

**HELP WANTED.**

WANTED—Girl at the Windsor hotel. 242tf

**FOR RENT.**

FOR RENT—Four room flat in Lagerquist block. Apply at block. 219tf

FOR RENT—Six room house, North Eighth street. Inquire Miss Mulline. 242tf

FOR RENT—Furnished flats for light housekeeping. Pearce Bldg. Mrs. J. K. Pearce. 242tf

Furnished rooms in heart of town for rent for 2 or 3 gentlemen. 307 S. Seventh street, Phone 135R. 235tf

Retzold farm for rent. 80 acres good for gardening. 14 blocks south of postoffice on South Sixth street. Inquire McNaughton shop, corner 7th and Maple. 236tf-wt3

**FOR SALE**

FOR SALE—A high grade piano, almost new. Inquire of A. J. Drapman, 823 Main St. 241tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—If taken at once. A black mare, weight 1400. 1515 9th St. N. E. 1td-2twp

**MISCELLANEOUS**

LOST—A ladies open face silver watch. Return to 617 9th street N. Phone 428. 242tf

LOST—17 dollars, three five dollar bills and two one dollar bills, folded together, March 5th, between N. P. express office and Ransford hotel. Finder leave with A. G. Snell, agent N. P. Ex. Co. 243tf

**ENGINEERING**

F. A. GLASS—Mining Engineer and surveyor. Direction of Explorations, surveys, plans, estimates reports.

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"Received your book on how to feed and take care of babies. I must say that Mellin's Food is all right. I am feeding it to my twins and they are doing finely on it. Will recommend it to any mother who has a baby to take care of."  
Mrs. John Topp, R. No. 5, Geneva, Ind.  
**Write today for a free sample.**  
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**MUSIC AND DRAMA**

**Pleased the Audience**  
The Sherman Kelly Stock Company pleased a good house last night when they presented the comedy drama "The Village Fool." The company is an excellent one. Each and every member is a performer and gives strong support to Miss Gale and Mr. Kelly.  
The plays that Mr. Kelly will present during his engagement here are all comedies. Mr. Kelly says that he believes the people today want to laugh.  
The vaudeville presented last night was alone worth the price of admission. The dancing of Malone & Malone, was very good.  
Tonight Mr. Kelly offers the great comedy with music, "The Beauty and the Banker." Ladies will be admitted free tonight under usual conditions.

**BRAINERD OPERA HOUSE**

**Sunday, Mar. 24**  
Shubert's  
**'BILLY'**  
New York's Greatest Comedy Hit  
As produced and played at Daly's Theatre, New York  
Frank G. King as "Billy" and Chic Perkins as "Billy's" Sister.  
New York cast of fifteen people  
Production Carries in its Entirety  
Special Sunday Prices—\$1, 75, 50, 25  
Seat Sale Box Office and W. J. Hogan's, 209 Kindred St., Friday, Mar. 22, 5 P. M.

**CEAD MILE FAITTE TO EVERY GUEST**  
(Continued from page three)

"The Ladies." He did not know why he was always chosen to speak to the ladies, probably because he was the best looking man in the parish. When Adam lay in restful sleep in the garden of Eden, the Lord created Eve and Adam has not had a day of rest since. Mr. Ryan paid a high tribute to womanhood. No heart yielded greater powers of love, greater depths of sacrifice than the heart of a mother. Preceding every Irishman who added luster to the achievements of the race was a noble, self-sacrificing Irish mother."

Mayor Dunn then introduced the speaker of the evening, Hon. M. J. Daly, of Perham. "After listening to so many eloquent speeches this evening," said Mr. Daly, "I realize that you have no occasion to go outside of Brainerd for speakers. I like to speak in Brainerd for you have a friendly, buoyant atmosphere in this city." He traced poetically the feelings of the Irishman who in spirit visited his native land on this anniversary and pictured the beauties of all those glorious vistas in Irish scenery famous in song and story, in poems and history. "The reformation in Ireland," said the speaker, "was the greatest event in her history. Kings and all were converted from paganism to Christianity. 800 years before the discovery of America Irish universities taught the earth was round. The Irish resisted the invasion of the Danes 300 years. When Henry VIII tried to destroy their religion, his opposition served but to unify them." Mr. Daly compared Henry VIII with Brigham Young and traced the similarity in their matrimonial careers.

Mr. Daly then paid special attention to the repressive land laws which at one time were in vogue in Ireland. No Irishman was allowed to own a horse worth over \$25. The penal laws were severe. No Irishman, in the early days, could hold office in the old country. He could not sit on a jury. He was not permitted to be a member of a learned profession. The Irish, in the early history, were sold like slaves. He traced the work of O'Connell, who preached and wrote emancipation until it attracted the notice of outside countries. Parliament was compelled to admit him. At his death O'Connell's heart was sent to Rome to be enshrined in the cathedral, while the ashes of his body were sent back to Ireland to mingle with the sod of his native land.

Irishmen believe in liberty. They have always fought to sustain the principles of true liberty. The dark nights of misfortune are passing away in Ireland and a better day is dawning. Her land laws are being improved; industries of all kinds are acquiring a new lease of life and the time is coming when it will be a free

nation. America will be the first nation to give Ireland God speed when that glorious day comes. England will recognize that Ireland has been her best friend and that a brotherly feeling unites them.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a tea-spoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**TOWNSITE AGENTS HERE**

Some of the Selling Force of the Iron Range Townsite Co. Visits City and Barrows

Saturday noon John Wahl, L. J. Pitts, Harry Moore, C. O. Johnson, R. Bergum and F. K. Pineo, some of the selling force of the new Iron Range Townsite Co., of Duluth and Brainerd, were in the city. They went out to Barrows and inspected the mine and town and were greatly pleased with the looks of things and one and all expressed their belief that Barrows has a great future. Mr. Roe, the chairman of the town board, was looking the town over for a site for the new town hall that the township has ordered built at Barrows, which will cost \$800 or \$1,000.

**NO CAUSE TO DOUBT.**

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We guarantee immediate and positive relief to all sufferers from constipation. In every case where our remedy fails to do this we will return the money paid us for it. That's a frank statement of facts, and we want you to substantiate them at our risk.

Recall Orderlies are eaten just like candy, are particularly prompt and agreeable in action, may be taken at any time, day or night; do not cause diarrhoea, nausea, griping, excessive looseness, or other undesirable effects. They have a very mild but positive action upon the organs with which they come in contact, apparently acting as a regulative tonic upon the relaxed muscular coat of the bowel, thus overcoming weakness, and aiding to restore the bowels to more vigorous and healthy activity.

Recall Orderlies are unsurpassable and ideal for the use of children, old folks and delicate persons. We cannot too highly recommend them to all sufferers from any form of constipation and its attendant evils. That's why we back our faith in them with our promise of money back if they do not give entire satisfaction. Three sizes: 12 tablets 10 cents, 36 tablets 25 cents and 80 tablets 50 cents. Remember, you can obtain Recall Remedies only at our store—The Recall Store—Johnson's Pharmacy

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"The pen is mightier than the sword." "But the typewriter puts it all over the pen."—New York Press.



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Have your Spring suit made the Price way. Select one of their fabrics at our store and have us send them your measure. Today!

**A. G. Lagerquist,**  
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You will find something for nothing if you do.

**FREE PRESENTS**

Beginning Wed March 20th, and continuing tili Sat. March 30th, we will give absolutely free, with every pair of shoes sold at \$2.00 or more (rubber goods not included) your choice of the following articles, which are displayed in our windows.

Hose	FOR LADIES	FOR MEN
Large Boxes Writing Paper		Dinner Pails
Hat Pins set with brilliants		Coin Purses
Half Dozen fancy Tumblers		Hose
White aprons		Suspenders
Dressing Mirrors		

You will have to pay 50 cents for these articles at any store. The same low closing out prices will continue as before and we will make this extra inducement so you will buy what you need now.

**Catlin & Smith**  
Closing Out the Middlemas Shoe Store

**Look! Look!! Look!!!**

This is Mrs. Pearce's Annual Spring Millinery Opening

She intends to sell out her business and to give the Ladies of Brainerd and vicinity the benefit of her closing out prices. She will sell hats cheaper than they have ever before been sold in Brainerd. She invites all Ladies to inspect her stock. At the Pearce millinery store you will find from 300 to 400 trimmed hats which will be sold from \$1.50 to \$6, all of the latest styles and patterns. She will have her opening on Tuesday, March 26, commencing at two o'clock in the afternoon and all Ladies are cordially invited to attend.

**MRS. J. K. PEARCE**

**DOING GOOD.**  
To do good, which is really good, a man must act from the love of good and not with a view to reward here or hereafter.

**Rose Comb RED Rhode Island**  
From Prize Winning Stock. Non Fading Eggs For Sale  
**Edw. D. Gruenhagen,**  
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- That the shoe is the foundation of your garb every day.
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**\$3.50—\$4.00—\$5.00**

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